



USAF Academy Parents' Weekend 2006

Schedule of Events

Parents' Weekend Information Line: 719-333-7687 (PNTS)
or 1-800-379-1455 ext. 7687

THURSDAY, 31 AUGUST 2006

7:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. **Association of Graduates (AOG) Doolittle Hall open**

FRIDAY, 1 SEPTEMBER 2006

6:30 – 8:00 a.m. **Parents and guests arrive at USAFA.**
Visitors may enter the Academy through the North Gate. The Base Access/Parking Pass will allow guests into areas of the base not usually open to the public. Please make sure to leave your Parking Pass in your vehicle while parked on the base. Guests should refrain from bringing in large bags, coolers, backpacks or other items that may require additional scrutiny from security personnel. Hand-carried items may be searched.

Escort Badges will allow guests to ride the shuttle buses from the Field House parking lots into the Cadet Area. One family member may escort other guests with a single Escort Badge. Your cadet can get any extra passes or badges you might require. Lost parents may receive assistance at the Fairchild Hall bus stop (base of Core Values Ramp).

Handicapped guests may park in lot north of the parade field. Guests should bring their state handicapped placard. Shuttles with hydraulic lifts will transport guests to Cadet Area.

6:30 – 7:15 a.m. **Breakfast (Mitchell Hall). First-class cadet parents only** may attend with their cadet. Two guests per cadet; tickets are limited and must be purchased in advance by cadets.

7:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. **AOG open (Doolittle Hall)**

7:30 a.m. – 2:45 p.m. **Attend Classes.** Parents and older siblings (5th grade or older) may attend classes with their cadets with prior permission from instructors.

7:30 – 8:15 1st Period
8:25 – 9:10 2nd Period
9:20 – 10:05 3rd Period
10:15 – 11:00 4th Period
11:15 – 12:00 Noon Meal (form & lunch)
12:10 – 12:55 5th Period
1:05 – 1:50 6th Period
2:00 – 2:45 7th Period

8:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. **Arnold Hall Information Fair & Food Court**
Doors open at 7:00 (coffee, breakfast items available from 7 a.m. at HAPS and Food Court). Info fair begins at 8:00 and offers invaluable information and giveaways from many USAFA organizations. Purchase your BCT video and cadet photos here.

8:25 – 11:00 a.m. **Flight simulator tour (Fairchild Hall, Rm. 2H28)** (fourth-class parents and older siblings only)

9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. **Cadet Chapel open.**

10:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. **Lunch** available at Field House, Visitor Center, Officers' Club, Arnold Hall (prices/times vary)

11:15 a.m. – 11:30 p.m. **Cadet Wing noon meal formation (View from Chapel Wall).** Parents with noon meal tickets must be escorted by cadet to enter terrazzo and observe formation from the Air Gardens. All other guests may observe formation from the Chapel Wall.

11:30 – 12:00 p.m. **Lunch (Mitchell Hall). Fourth-class cadet parents only** – Two guests per cadet; tickets are limited and must be purchased in advance by cadets.

11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. **Basic Cadet Training video (short video plays continuously in Arnold Hall Theater)**

11:50 a.m. **Cadet Honor Guard performance (Honor Court – east of Harmon Hall)**

12:25 – 12:45 p.m. **Show Choir Performance (Arnold Hall Theater)**

1:00 – 3:00 p.m. **Open House: Hall of Excellence (Falcon Athletic Center)**

1:00 – 2:25 p.m. **Orientation Briefing for new cadet parents (Arnold Hall).** Senior USAFA officials offer information about the Academy and answer parents' questions.

1:05 – 3:05 p.m.

Flight simulator tour (Fairchild Hall, Rm. 2H28) (upper-class parents and older siblings only)

4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Cadet Wing Parade (Stillman Field). Make sure to arrive early for a Wings of Blue (parachute team) demonstration and various aircraft demonstrations and flyovers. If the parade is cancelled due to bad weather, parents may visit the Field House or Arnold Hall or meet their cadets to proceed to Squadron Open Houses.

5:00 p.m. (after parade)

Drum & Bugle Corps performance (Stillman Field)

5:00 – 7:00 p.m.

Squadron Open Houses will be held immediately following the parade (Vandenberg and Sijan Halls).

CADETS MAY LEAVE USAFA AFTER OPEN HOUSE AND MUST SIGN IN BY MONDAY, 7:00 P.M. (10:30 P.M. FOR FIRST-CLASS CADETS).

5:00 – 7:00 p.m.

Dinner Buffet (Mitchell Hall). Tickets may be purchased at the door.

5:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Dinner Buffet (Officers' Club). Call for reservations, (719) 333-4253.

7:00 p.m.

Jewish Sabbath Service (Cadet Chapel)

8:00 p.m.

Shabbat Oreg Reception (Cadet Chapel Annex)

SATURDAY, 2 SEPTEMBER 2006

9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Cadet Chapel open.

7:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Buffet (Mitchell Hall) Tickets may be purchased at the door.

7:00 – 9:00 Breakfast

11:00 – 1:00 Lunch

10:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Jacks Valley (Basic Cadet Training) Orientation Tours. Shuttle buses will run to Jacks Valley from Field House and Harmon Hall parking lots every 15 minutes. The last bus will depart for Jacks Valley at 1:00 p.m., and the last bus will depart Jacks Valley at 2:00 p.m. Cadets will escort their families. Walking shoes recommended.

1:00 – 4:00 p.m.

Open Houses: Cadet Field House, Hall of Excellence, Gym & Airfield

SUNDAY, 3 SEPTEMBER 2006

8:00 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Cadet Chapel closed to tours due to worship services. No shuttle buses from Field House – park in Harmon Hall lot for worship services.

8:00, 10:00 a.m., 12:00 p.m.

Catholic Mass (Cadet Catholic Chapel)

8:15 & 11:15 a.m.

Catholic Mass (Community Center Chapel)

9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Protestant Worship Services (Cadet Chapel)

9:00 Traditional

10:30 Contemporary

11:00 Liturgical

12:00 Inspirational

9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Buffet (Mitchell Hall) Tickets may be purchased at the door.

9:15 a.m.

Protestant Gospel Service (Base Auditorium)

9:30 a.m.

Orthodox Divine Liturgy (Cadet Chapel All Faiths Room)

9:45 a.m.

Protestant Traditional Service (Community Center Chapel)

10:00 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Brunch Buffet (Officers' Club). Call for reservations, (719) 333-4253.

1:30 – 5:00 p.m.

Cadet Chapel open.

MONDAY, 4 SEPTEMBER 2006 (LABOR DAY)

9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Cadet Chapel open.

11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Lunch Buffet (Mitchell Hall). Tickets may be purchased at door.

7:00 p.m.

ALL LOWER-CLASS CADETS MUST SIGN IN!

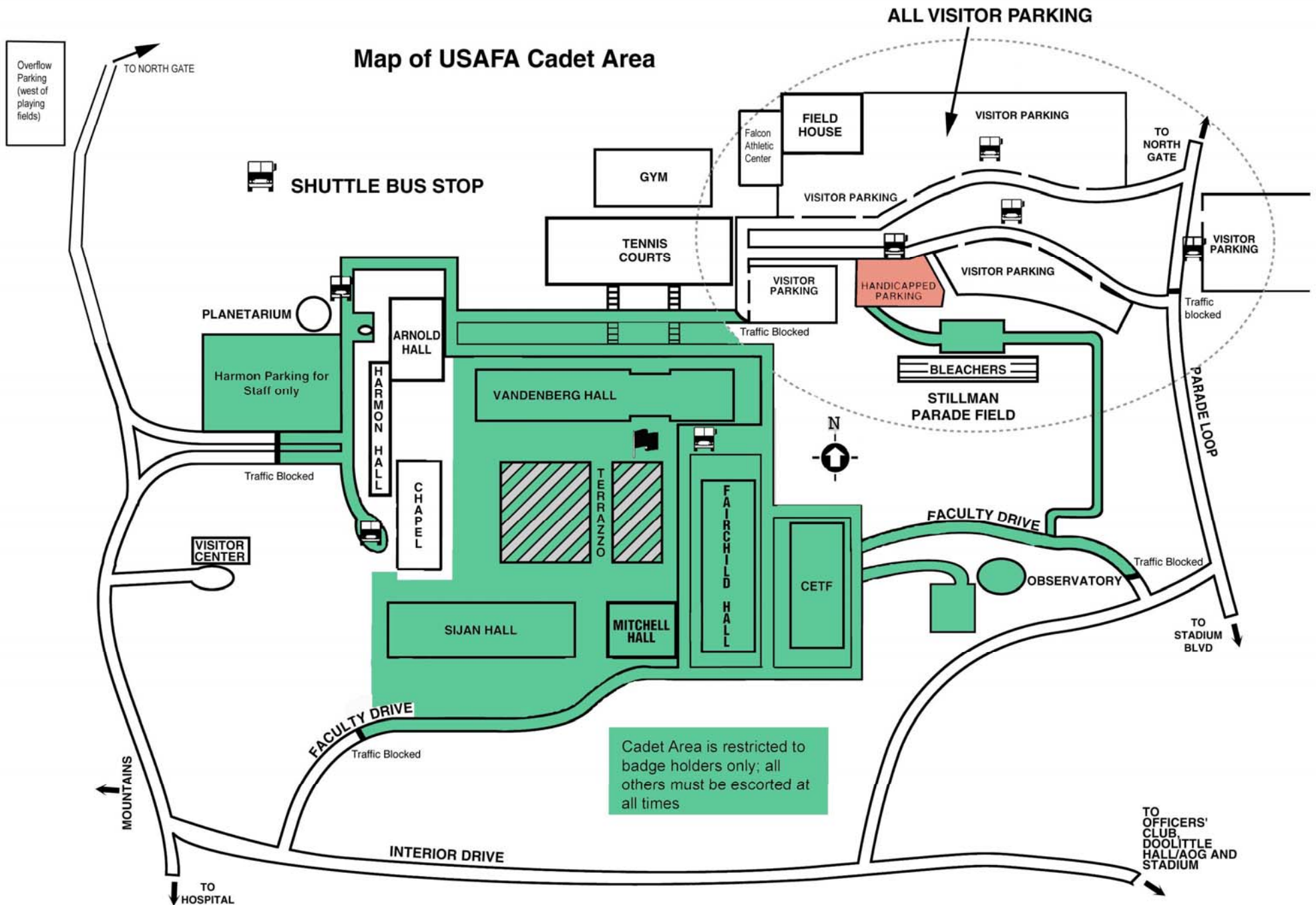
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FIRST CLASS CADETS MUST SIGN IN!

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Map of USAFA Cadet Area



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